Bucking Horse and Lieut. Oliver Terry Principals in Spectacular Stunt.

ANIMAL'S VAIN EFFORTS TO UNSEAT HIS RIDER

Saturday Night Scenes in Historic Old Gettysburg.

TOWN FILLED WITH SOLDIERS

Dusty Tramp of Two Miles for Brief Hour of Pleasure—Regulars and Militiamen Fraternize.

Special From a Staff Correspondent. trappings from the saddle to the ground. say is to the point. It was the spectacular feature of the

the District National Guard, comprising crawl through underbrush and wade Gen. Harries and his staff. Several big streams and act as if the bullets were automobile parties, which had come out actually flying. The militiamen do not, from town to witness the dress parade, The regulars tell the militiamen how panies of the Signal Corps every

Terry's horse thought he would desert

and many ladies, were watching the men march and pass in review, and were listening to the 1st Regiment's band. Animal Concluded to Desert. The officers had just gone forward but no better than are the District of the firing line. Signal Corps men are front and center at the most cere- | Columbia guardsmen.

from the guards. At the first buck the rider knew he had a nasty horse, and just like it sounds. called all of his horsemanship into play. The animal seeing that one buck did no damage, squirmed and writhed all the forded of sitting in a most difficult sadhim on foot, but Col. Smiley dismounted

Terry took the colonel's horse. Every one in camp tonight is talking of it, and many of the cavalrymen say it thousands upon thousands of visitors. saddle as they have ever seen.

District Men on Detail.

pital Corps, D. C. N. G., and Sergt. ness among the horses that is worrying the regulars not a little. The epidemic was given out officially tonight as one of poison, and is not considered the cavalry troops expects to remain at back to Fort Myer. The reason they give is that they do not believe the sick horses will be well enough to move and

This is Saturday night in Gettysburg camp will take part. and every man in the big camp of in- The Signal Corps Company camp is The reason is that the company gets the struction who could possibly get leave to Washington, with the possible exception contribute, and are able to buy a few go to town seems to have come along the of the Ambulance Corps, which is even extra dainties with the charge. It makes extremely dusty mile and a half of Penn- farther off yet. No one sees this little the men a little more contented with sylvania pike to get to town.

The regulars are here apparently only then go back to camp. But the guardsmen seem to be here for the sole purpose ice cream, photographs or mother-ofthe girls can go back home with something by which they can always remem-

What They Like to Do. The guardsmen hike themselves to Gettysburg every night they can, of course, and to-night's great crowd only accentuates the fact that no matter how tired the men are they seem to find it absolutely necessary to get to a dingy hotel, smoke handmade cigarettes and drink beer which will never, never do any damwater. The ordinary enlisted man at this south along the ground. The wire trying to get the captain's horse loose. water. The ordinary enlisted man at this is "field color," and is hard to see in the The batterymen saw him slapping himcamp seems to believe that the one and grass. The field telephones are laid in self and the horse very hard at close only thing to do after nightfall is to walk the same way, and miles of outposts can intervals and could two miles in the dust to get where he be connected very simply and effectively had happened. It was not long, however, can spend 10 or 15 cents and then of the army can know by telephone, stand on the sidewalk and sing. That is stand on the sidewalk and sing. That is even on the wildest frontier, what is been in a sharp engagement. always the way. If the entisted man going on. army would be composed of the finest should have seventy-five men, and the

Gettysburg bars all have to close at speed into the laying of wires and push-an army officer with a revolver on goes around to each one to see that the arrangement is carried out. The army plished by the District of Columbia Signal ambulance outfit, just as they do in real would have to be that way. Otherwise of it by the officers are remarkable. the men would not be allowed to indulge in the great pastime of buying graph-telephone lines should keep up watered beer.

Outbreak Spells Deprivation. Any outbreak in this old town is quite utes after a halt for that purpose. the outfit from which the men came. distance of one-half mile or more. any rumpus in Gettysburg because none to operate them, allowing four stations to arranged for the wounded men, and a by twenty-five women, each of whom of them had ever evidenced any desire a cart. to kill the goose that lays the golden eggs-meaning that the District of Columbia enlisted man loves to walk ...s two miles in the dust to get to the place of wire, open two stations and transmit of handmade cigarettes, diluted beer and a twenty-word message between those sidewalk songs just like all the rest of two stations in five minutes time from them. Some rude soldiers pulled five a standing start. chairs off a porch last night and several war correspondents sat down and wrote twenty-five words per minute by buzzer descriptions of a riot, but really there telegraph. was nothing to it.

But in the typical soldiers found in the twenty minutes. barrooms tonight there is the greatest lot of odd characters that one would want in four minutes. to find. The born soldiers, the chaps It should send and receive by flag, who enlist time after time in the regular using either the Morse or Meyer codes, service, and who have followed the flag four words per minute. leaning against the bar spending 5 cents (the principle of which is the sun reflect- investigation. This will be done. E. G. the mines.

EVERY-DAY SCENES IN THE CAMP OF THE NATIONAL GUARD AT GETTYSBURG

HIKE



NO OLD OAKEN BUCKET BUT JUST AS GOOD

an hour and telling yarns that Kipling might love to hear.

There are tales of fighting in every GETTYSBURG, Pa., July 23.-Bucking with embarrassment, and perhaps pride, across the parade grounds with all the to hear the rough but clean-cut praise western broncho, the horse ridden haps like to be buried six good feet unat dress parade this evening by Lieut. der ground if they could hear the un-stinted scorn, couched and drawn in Oliver Terry of the 1st District of Colum- such military and yet picturesque fashion. bia Infantry gave to the ordinary cere- of the man who has to salute them as they pass by.

procesting of dress parade a The District of Columbia enlisted men touch of the real, rough-rider atmosphere smoothly. There has been no ill feeling, of a cowboy camp. For five minutes and it is very easy to see regulars and Lieut. Terry was bucked up and down the guardsmen chatting together here on the line of the regiment by a horse which had any night at all. The militiamen, of never seen the wheelings and circlings of course, look up to the regular in a a dress parade, and which evidently was to say. The regular is a hard-looking, determined to get the soldier and his lean, clean-faced and dark-tanned chap. He does not say much, but what he does

Exemplify the Real Thing.

it should be done, and after that the day. It does not seem odd that army CORT OVERCOME BY CURRENT. conversation breaks on every conceivable officers call the Signal Corps the military thing capable of the mind of "nerves" of the army. No other arm of enlisted men. You hear them talk of the service performs such a delicate important thing to the enlisted man. monious point of the parade, when Lieut. "josh" the regulars toss at the militia- arduous and important. men in town here seems to be an accusation that the militiamen have to eat more than a year in that its command-"slumgullion," a mess stew that tastes ing officer has been detached from the

The big thing in camp tomorrow will be harder. Up and down the drawn-up line the parade by the 2d District of Columof the regiment the bucking horse flew, bia Rebiment, headed by its own band. while officers and men looked on the It is the show piece of the day, going be found in the entire National Guard of superb spectacle which the lieutenant af- ahead in a spectacular way of the big "war strength" turn out of the providle. Finally, at the edge of the parade sional brigade in the morning. Every upon return from camp to recruit his ground, the lieutenant dismounted, and man in the 2d who can possibly be in doing so the bucking steed got away spared from the camp and guard duty fifty-eight men. There is not much doubt from him. Lieut. Terry started after will be in the parade when it lines up. The 2d Regiment has in it some of the ducements to recruits, not only in pay finest soldiers in the entire camp, and but in experience. at that point and the broncho-busting there has been a general scrubbing and burnishing all day to get ready for the big event, which will be the attraction for was as good an exhibition of sticking to The 1st District of Columbia was on trict National Guard has its great and dress parade today, with its band, and grand singer. This time he is a bugler, attracted great attention and caused fa- that dashing accessory to any organizavorable comment on account of its splen- tion, but especially dashing because he

Private Daniel J. Hickey of the Hos- Many of the officers of the District of belongs to that grand old troop of can-Columbia brigade rode over the Gettys- nonaders known as Fox's Artillery, or Daniel Divine of the Signal Corps Com- burg battlefield this afternoon, under the rightly named the District Battery. pany were detailed tonight to the 15th States Army, of the War Department gen- Italian birth and has he voice of that thorne sank. He was unconscious when United States Cavalry, the Fort Myer eral staff. Maj. Boughton has made a dear Naples, so far away. The men outfit, for instruction, and also to assist special study of the tactics during the want nothing better than to have Jasper faithfully over all three, but only Miss the regular veterinarians with the sick- battle and is able to point with exactness get through with what work he has, and to the spots occupied even by many of stand up to sing the toreador song from

Wireless apparatus is expected to be raised at this camp within a short time, Jasper sings a Neapolitan song by the District's Signal Corps being in readi- moonlight that would make you weep the camp grounds after the troops go ness to raise its field poles at a second's real tears. He can sing La Donna notice. It is possible that the District's abandon that made Caruso famous; at wireless and the guard's own wireless least the boys say so. operators will play a very important part | Many of the company officers mess with they evidently expect the epidemic to in the general maneuvers, which will their own men this year-that is they eat start Tuesday, and in which the entire the same food, but sit alone in their little

when the battles start.

of spending their money on post cards, Corps gets up and waves flags violently, pearl souvenirs, with no earthly utili- unintelligible things, and let it go at that the population of this county will be to get there and back within limited time. so far this year. about doubled tomorrow, and the guards- For short distances an orderly gallops men are buying souvenirs tonight so that up with the commaider's orders, but ber the lovely trip into a region filled another, then the Signal Corps is called ficer had tied his horse to a fence corner many years. with flies and covered with two inches of dust.

on to get a message across the several miles of country by one of its various and was explaining some tactical points ingenious methods of transmission.

Japanese war. The men lay the wire for ers they had while he was leaning over

U. S. A. manner of doing things has resulted in introducing a great deal of their daily stunt of scouting across countold the bar proprietors that it Corps Company and which are expected war. When the 2d Regiment was busy with field artillery traveling eight miles

Its telegraph-telephone, or buzzer, sta- covering such cases. tions should be opened within two minlikely to cause the issuance of passes to Its lines should be so laid as to leave right on the spot, with saplings cut down be stopped by the commanding officer of the road clear for troops following at a and trimmed with sharp axes. The in-It should have four carts, aggregating benches, the sterilizing bowls were made Gen. Harries said this forenoon he was forty miles of wire, available for duty at ready, four or five rubber mats on the Sweden and Canada and other British certain that no District men would raise all times, with the necessary personnel ground, with blankets over them, were

Do It in Five Minutes.

Its operators should be able to handle It should erect a wireless station in

It should establish a heliograph station

land in which the United States has set foot; there are soldier stories of camp in strange terms and with slang that the civilian would not understand. There are men who tell what they think of their officers, some of whom would flush given to them; while others would per-

Second Regiment Parade.

the individuals during the engagement. Wireless for Maneuvers.

pitched away off from everybody else from benefit of the cash which the officers Signal Corps of the District's, but its men their lot, too; as many a guardsman are plodding away all day long, doing a grumbles when he sees his lieutenant eatto get a couple of bottles of Gettysburg lot of very important practice work, and ing grandly at regimental headquarters. beer, take a smouth around town and getting ready to be the nerves of the army while the enlisted men grub along on Many people think that the Signal

Field Buzzer a Wonder.

telegraph office set up in the space of a found that the halter shank had twisted am more needed there." camera and ready for use very quickly. around on it, the steed had put his hoof It is an invention from the American into a hornets' nest. to tremendous advantage in the Russo- fast, but the hornets were, and Sergt.

It should be able to lay one-half mile

LINING UP FOR EATS

These things seem almost impossible of kept in touch with his base of supplies. and the greatest everywhere and their duties are both The company has been unfortunate for a commanding officer was appointed, and, although having but little time prior to

> the United States. This officer is Lieut. R. W. Barker. It is his intention to make special efforts company up to the minimum strength, but what he will be successful, as this branch of the service offers special in-

Bugler Is a Song Bird.

"Carmen." There is but one man in the battery who knows what the words mean- and that's Jasper himself-but there isn't a man who doesn't know what the music means.

tents eating from a company mess kit.

that dear oid government ration. Sergt. Trussell a Hero.

Sergt Shaulter V. Trussell is the hero

to Capt. Fox and Lieut. Shannon. Suddenly the horse at the fence corner in the horse's leg, and that in stamping

Caring for the Injured.

When the regiments march out to do tiring itself to death in the woods Friday Its reel carts laying field wire te'e- the surgeons pitched their hasty hospital tent near a farmhouse and did everything in accordance with the army regulations The tent was a simple thing, hastily an's suffrage bill through the house of

arranged. An operating table was made struments were laid out on improvised Red Cross flag was placed in conspicuous position. This hospital was for the firing line's use, as it were. It was a hastily made thing, and as soon as the wounded men (theoretical) were bandaged up and cared for, they were shipped back to a nent hospital, farther away from the advocacy of the cause. scene of fighting.

Musty Hay Poisons Horses.

Because of reports that many of the norses being used in the militia encampment at Gettysburg, Pa., had been poisoned by eating musty hay, Gen. Wood. chief of staff of the army, yesterday

by the crack 1st Regiment were all the regulars are always simulating the regular army officers attached to the big camp, as well as the brigade officers of the District National Guard, comprising crawl through underbrush and wade the crack 1st Regiment were all the regulars are always simulating the (used at night) ten words per minute. Its telephones should be in good working order, capable of use up to a distance of twenty miles.

DISH WASHING

for an Afternoon Swim in

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Jply 23 .infantry. Just prior to camp, however, The swift and treacherous undercurrents coming here to accomplish much, it is before another year has passed have as death and utterly exhausted a third expected by his superiors that he will good a Signal Corps Company as is to young girl of the party this afternoon.

land Park, N. J. Edith Hill, nineteen years, Highland Park, N. J. Gordon Silverthorne, twenty-two years, Newark. N. J. Rescued

Helen White, twenty years, New Bruns-The young people were camping out near here, and rowed from shore today for an afternoon swim. A hundred yards Like every other military outfit, the Dis- out they dived overboard together. Silverthorne had not gone far when he heard Anna Hill scream for help. She her and did not rise again. Overcome by grief and exhaustion he was soon splashing wildly. Meantime Harry Bloodgoot put

hauled into the boat. Physicians worked

MOTHER'S INTERESTS.

Son of Multimillionaire in New York-Not Sure Where They Will Reside.

NEW YORK, July 23.-Col. Edward from Texas to make his home henceforth tarian function. Tomorrow the girls will that. Really, though, the government of the camp. He belongs to the 1st Bat- future of any of the states," said Col. cursions. come to camp, two railroad excursions supports a Signal Corps to transmit mes- tery, District of Columbia, and can be Green today. "I left a great many friends being on the schedule. It is predicted sages over distances too great for a man truly said to be the only man under fire down in Dallas and I admit that I didn't to get there and back within limited time. tell all of them good-bye, for you see when the general is on one mountain morning with a regular army officer days. You can't transplant a tree of peak and a brigade commander is on along for instruction purposes. The of- 250 odd). And I've lived in Texas a good my weight over night. (Col. Green weighs

Mother's Will to Govern.

The thing the Signal Corps seems to be heavens. He seemed to want to mount I shall do so, but mother has interests busying itself with most is the little field the fluffy clouds that were floating by. worth between \$12,000,660 and \$18,000,000 buzzer. That is in reality a whole Sergt. Trussell leaped for the horse and in Chicago, and I don't know but what I

"We'll decide that in due time," army recognized by the Japs and used. The bullets were not flying thick and kle in her eye. For the present I am glad to have my son home.'

Parade Through Streets-Americans With Old Glory.

LONDON, July 23 .- This has been another field day for the suffragettes. through the streets, gathered at the hismination, at all costs, to force the womcommons at the present session. furnished by the contingents from Amer- points east of the Pembina line. ica, France, Germany, Holland, Norway, colonies. United States was represented

carried the Stars and Stripes.

nouncing as the star participants Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Dr. Anna H. Shaw, Miss Inez Milholland and a few others who

Bodies Entombed Year Ago.

DUQUOIN, Ill., July 23.—Workmen, improper language. opening the Leiter mine at Zeigler, Col. Bowen, according to the findings,

accomplishment, but they have been done and are done by the field com- TWO SISTERS AND THEIR ES- LARGE ATTENDANCE EXPECTED WIRELESS PICKS UP MESSAGE AT ESPERANTO CONGRESS.

the food they get, and that's a mighty function. The commanding general is Party Had Been Camping and Went Session to Open in Washington Passengers of Southern Pacific August 14-Provisional Program Already Prepared.

> Judging from the inpouring of letters from sudents of the new universal wireless at the navy yard picked up a work. language to the American association's message this morning from the Southheadquarters in the Chamber of Com- ern Pacific liner Momus, off Cape Canabe held in Washington August 14 to water. has completed his program for the week. ing by and has taken off the passengers. guished.

Saturday, August 13-Informal reception and concert at 8 p.m. service in Esperanto; afternoon, sight-

Monday, August 15-Morning, formal opening of the sixth congress; address by went down twice before he could reach Dr. L. Zamenhof, the author of Esperanto; presentation of governmental passengers of the Momus, left New Or- fires, raging up to midnight, are being delegates and responses; greetings from Esperantist national delegates. Afterfrom shore in another rowboat and suc- noon-Formal business meeting. Evening-Moonlight excursion on Potomac.

Academy Session. Evening-Presentation of "As You Like

It" by the Hickman Players. Wednesday, August 17-Morning, meeting of the international council, Inter- that there was no longer any excitement. | MORGAN GIVES \$20,000 CASTLE national Scientific Association and gen- The messages were sent by Capt. Boyd Mobile with that beautiful, reckless EXPECTS TO GIVE TIME TO HIS eral business meeting; afternoon, excur- of the Momus and Capt. Maxson of the sion to Great Falls, where luncheon will be served; evening, formal reception and presentation of prizes in literary con-Thursday, August 18-Morning, meet-

ings of the Universala Esperanto-Asocio, general business and sectional meetings; afternoon, league base ball game at the National ball park, at which copies of the rules in Esperanto will be distributed: evening, lectures. Friday, August 19-Morning, sectional meetings and various adjourned meet-H. R. Green, Hetty Green's son, is back ings; afternoon, sightseeing; evening, international ball. Saturday, August 20-Morning, business meetings and adjourned meetings; afternoon, formal closing of sixth congress; "I still think Texas has the greatest evening, departure for post congress ex-

FOR RATES ON LUMBER

Master in Chancery Finds Agains' Interstate Commerce Commission Ruling.

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 23.-Frederick N. Dickson of St. Paul, master of chancery, today filed his preliminary findings in Mrs. Green, with an enigmatical twin- in the lumber rate suit instituted in the Moses H. Dade, treasurer; Robert F. commerce commission by the Great Pacific and Chicago, Burlington and Jeremiah Scott and R. H. Johnson. Quincy railway companies. They were | Chairman Gaskins will call the session WILL PUSH THEIR BILL served on the attorneys of both sides of together Tuesday at 11 o'clock a.m. CYCLONE KILLS TWENTY-FIVE.

tablished by the I. C. C. from the Pa- Terrel and Rev. Dr. M. W. Clair, pastor cific coast to all points west of the of Asbury M. E. Church. Pembina line, which is made up of the Atkins of Hampton, Va.; Dr. James E. western boundaries of Minnesota, Iowa Mills of Norfolk, and J. Frank Wheaton Milan today, doing great damage to the and Missouri, is sustained, but the rates of New York. from the coast to points east of that line are declared to be unreasonably An enormous crowd of women from all The railroads ask for a rate of 50 parts of the world, after parading cents a hundredweight on lumber shipped

for 60 cents from Portland to Chicago. will be photographed on the steps of the toric meeting place in Hyde Park, and The I. C. C. cut this to 45 cents from Capitol. A reception and ball will take passed resolutions announcing a deter- Portland to St. Paul, and 55 cents from Portland to Chicago. Mr. Dickson upholds place at Convention Hall that night, and the contentions of the railroads and rec- parade prizes will be distributed. The ommends an injunction nullifying the actual consideration of business will beorder of the I. C. C. on these rates and gin Wednesday morning, when the peace A notable feature of the procession was on other lumber rates from the coast to pact between the two grand lodges will road traffic has been impeded by the

OFFICER INCURS CENSURE.

Col. Bowen Reprimanded for Show-The local suffragettes, in their advertising Disrespect to Superior. ing, featured the American division, an-MANILA, July 23 .- Col. William H. C.

Bowen of the 12th Infantry, stationed at more permanent or more nearly perma- have become widely known through their Fort William McKinley, has been con- teenth annual convention of the Expressvicted by court-martial of disrespect to men's Mutual Association adjourned toa superior officer in the indorsement in a day after re-electing all former officers newspaper of the cause of Chaplain John E. Dallam, who had been tried for using

closed by an explosion more than a is sentenced to a reprimand and to be year ago, today found six bodies which deprived of his command for three were entombed by the explosion. The months. He was acquitted of the charge chief of staff of the army, yesterday bodies were well preserved and easily of having violated the regulations in ob- adjusted the strike at the company's bassador to the United States. The statue asked the Department of Agriculture to bodies were well preserved and easily taining passage on an army transport mines here. Five hundred strikers went will be installed at the Chateau of Veraround the world afoot and afoat, are lit should send or receive by heliograph leaning against the bar spending 5 cents of the principle of which is the sun reflect. Two more bodies remain in for a person not a member of his imback to work today at the new wage sailles in a position opposite the statue gress from the district now represented the principle of which is the sun reflect. mediate family

REPORTING DANGER.

A FRIEND IN NEED

HEAVY SHOWERS CHECK

cially Estimated at \$3,000,-

000-Towns Destroyed.

SPOKANE, Wash., July 23.-No ac-

towns of Ryan, Wash., and White-

water, McGuigan, Three Forks, Baynes

wiped out, and the loss of timber prob-

Several days ago it was estimated that

3,000 men in this state were giving some

or all of their time to holding the fires

in check. Although the present summer

has been one of the driest ever known,

the fires in western Washington have

been less destructive than in former

Heavy showers during the last forty-

eight hours have checked the great for-

est fires that were threatening towns

of Washington, Idaho, Montana and

practically all danger is past.

British Columbia and for the present

PORTLAND, Ore., July 23.-Reports

Santiam several days ago is now burn-

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 23 .- The

\$3,000,000. Practically all the fires in

the upper country have been extin-

WINNIPEG, Man., July 23.-Forest

fires around Rainy river, Ont., are dying

is calm it is believed that the town,

which was in imminent danger of de-

All along the route between Rainy

country, there are deserted and burned

Wisconsin Fires Checked.

MERRILL, Wis., July 23 .- Forest

checked today by a heavy rain. All the

Heinemann are cared for. Bloomville

and Gleason have been saved. It is

estimated that twenty-five square miles

have been burned over in the section

TO COMPOSER.

Believes Homer A. Norris Can Do

Better if Relieved of

Daily Grind.

NEW YORK, July 23.-High on a crag

Mr. Morgan is not only a connoisseur in

the fine arts, but a discriminating ama-

been a close personal friend of Homer

The money is Mr. Morgan's. The plans

and that on the outside will be moss-

grown. When completed the dwelling will

look like a continuation of the bluff on

Mr. Norris came here from Boston and

Terrific Storm Damages Town

Northwest of Milan.

swept over the district northwest of

towns of Saronno, Rovellasca and Lonate

Pozzolo. It is estimated that about

wounded. The victims include several

Many houses were unroofed and tele-

graph lines were leveled. Some dwellings

were cracked and shaken as though they

had been through an earthquake. Rail-

Cabinet Officers to Tour Alaska.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 23.-Attorney

General Wickersham and Secretary of

Commerce and Labor Nagel will arrive

from the east tomorrow. The fish com-

mission steamer Albatross is waiting for

the cabinet officers, and it is supposed

Washington Statue Accepted.

they will sail at once on a tour of Alaska.

workmen employed on the railway.

MILAN, July 23.-A terrific cyclone

perhaps, without counterpart.

just north of here.

ably will run into millions of dollars.

Liner Momus Are Transferred to Sister Ship. CHARLESTON, S. C., July 23.-The ing slowly. A large force of men is at

Loss in British Columbia \$3,000,000. merce, General Secretary Reed is con- varal, on the Florida coast, reporting fire vinced that in point of numbers the in the after hold since yesterday. The total loss by forest fires in British Cosixth international Esperanto congress to vessel anchored in twelve fathoms of lumbia is officially estimated today at Anna Hill, twenty-one years old, High- August 20 is to be a record-breaker. He The Comus of the same line is stand-

The provisional program, which is, of The fire is not under control. course, subject to change by the delegates, NEW YORK, July 23.-The steamship Momus, under the command of Capt. John down this morning, and as the weather Boyd, left New York for New Orleans last Wednesday with sixty passengers. struction, will be saved. Sunday, August 14-Morning church The steamer carried a crew of 120 men. Officials of the Southern Pacific said they received information regarding the fire, and expressed the belief that it would be confined in the after hold,

> The steamer Comus, which took off the leans for New York Wednesday.

where there was no inflammable freight.

Fire Under Control. A statement made at the Southern Pacific office this evening said that the passengers from the burning steamer Momus Tuesday, August 16-Morning, meeting transferred to the Comus would be put of Esperanto academy, language commit- aboard the steamer Proteus, which left tee and general business meeting. Afternoon—Excursion to Mount Vernon.

Exeming—Presentation of "As You Like"

this city this afternoon for New Orleans. But this will be done only if the
Momus is unable to proceed without ly-Momus is unable to proceed without lying up for repairs.

The latest wireless messages received here said the fire was under control and

NEXT TUESDAY'S CONVENTION IN TRUE REFORMERS' HALL

Annual Gathering of Grand Lodge of Improved Benevolent Order of Elks (Colored). The eleventh annual session of the teur of music. For many year's he has

Grand Lodge of Improved Benevolent Order of Elks (colored) will convene next A. Norris, the composer, who is the or-Tuesday in True Reformers' Hall, 12th ganist of St. George's Episcopal Church and U streets northwest. More than in Stuyvesant Square, New York, of 5,000 members in this city and delegates will be in attendance, including Jack

ment of the visitors are in charge of a building for the composer a \$20,000 reis chairman. The other members of the are Mr. Norris'. Rhea, E. F. Jenifer, Samuel L. Drew, Simon H. Brooks, William Freeman, F. C. Payne, J. H. Anderson, Dr. H. J. Wil- has been organist of St. George's seven liams, Joseph S. Lawson, A. B. Rice, years. Tindall, secretary to the board of Com-In the findings the railroads win a sub- missioners; W. T. Vernon, auditor for the stantial victory. The lumber rates es- Navy Department; Justice Robert H.

Parade and Ball.

A street parade will take place in the twenty-five persons were killed and many afternoon. There will be bands from from Portland, Ore., to St. Paul and fifteen cities in line. The Grand Lodge be formally ratified and the two factions reunited. The election of officers will take place at the closing session Friday next. Be-

sides the Convention Hall reception ex-

cursions down the Potomac will be given

for the entertainment of the visitors.

Expressmen Re-Elect Officers. ST. PAUL, Minn., July 23.-The six-

and deciding to meet in Denver next

Strikers Back at Reduced Pay.

don's statue of George Washington, which JOPLIN, Mo., July 23 .- The American Zinc, Lead and Smelting Company has through M. Jusserand, the French amwas presented by the state of Virginia scale, a reduction of 25 cents a day. of Josephine.

AEROPLANES NO USE IN WAR SAYS GRANT

May Be in Six Months if Improved Type Should Be Created.

WORLD PEACE FAR OFF; TIME IS NOT YET RIPE

Higher Standard of Reasoning Must Come First, He Thinks.

ECONOMY WILL BE FACTOR

Leaves Chicago for New York to Command Department of the THE NORTHWEST FIRES East-Interested in Coast and

Harbor Defenses.

Loss in British Columbia Offi-CHICAGO, Ill., July 23.-Maj. Gen. Frederick Dent Grant left Chicago today for New York, where he will take up the

military command of the Department of the East, with headquarters at Governors Island, in New York harbor. Succeeding him in the command of the curate estimate of the loss by the fires Department of the Lakes, which he has held since 1908, Brig. Gen. Charles L. present. Five lives were lost near Kalso, Hodges, late of the Department of the B. C., and two near Colville, Wash.; the Dakotas, arrived in Chicago today and

took up his duties at the federal building.

Lake and Jaffray, B. -C., are reported As Gen. Grant was busy with preparations for leaving the city the two generals did not meet today. Gen. Grant, just before leaving for the station, expressed at once his regret at quitting Chicago and his pleasure at returning to his old home in New York. He also discussed the new duties that he has been called upon to assume as the sucessor of Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood. These duties will include harbor and coast de-

and war balloons at Fort Myer. Grant Talks of Aeroplanes.

fense and authority over the corps that is

conducting experiments with aeroplanes

"Development of aeroplanes and balfrom Albany indicate that the forest is watching with interest and experimentloons is something the War Department fire which raged flercely on the north ing with at Fort Myer," said Gen. Grant. "The experiments will be in my department, but I shall not have anything to do with them directly. I shall not be concerned with them, except as my personal

> "Airships can now be used for reconnaissance. It will not be long, I imagine, before they may be used in offensive measure. The time of the aeroplane is the future. It is certain that they will be employed in wars that may break

> out not many years hence. "There will be chances for using them It seems probable that their development will have progressed far before universal peace descends on the world.

> Peace Not Yet. "Peace has been preached for 2,000 years. Yet some of the greatest wars of the world have been recent ones. When people attain to a higher standard of reasoning and the cost of wars becomes pro-

hibitive, then we shall have peace.

"This will be some time in the future. Meanwhile the United States and other countries will continue experimenting with aeroplanes for possible emergencies "At present a lack of aeroplanes in case of a war would not be fatal to us, although the aeroplanes would be convenient," continued the general, "In six months the situation might become different. A hostile nation might find

an improved type of machine in that space of time "I do not know just how far other nations have proceeded with their experiments. In the Department of the East the trials will continue as fast as the resources for such work will permit. cago to New York will be watched with interest by the War Department. If machines can travel the 900-mile course using aeroplanes for belligerent purposes.

I myself shall be interested in the outcome of the races.

of the Orange mountains, not far from Coast and Harbor Defense. pont Morgan is building a gray stone than the experiments at Fort Myer is castle in miniature. Both for the spirit in the problem of coast and harbor defense. which it was conceived and the manner Improvements were under way in the in which it is being carried out, it is, harbor forts when I was transferred from

New York two years ago. "New forts are built on improved plans and old forts are altered more or less. Of course, this is an important part of

"Next week I shall be in command of

the mobilization of troops at Pine Plains in Dutchess county, N. Y. There will Mr. Morgan believes that free from be a large encampment there. Afterthe daily grind of city life Mr. Norris ward I shall take up routine duties at can compose better music than in his Governors Island. The new first field The arrangements for the entertain- town studio. In proof of his belief, he is army of eastern militia will be under my mental commands in the country. Except for Gen. Wood, whom he succeeds at

> of staff, Gen. Grant is the ranking of-Four years from now he will have reach ed the age limit of army officers and will

> Governors Island, and who is now chief

Swinburne Discounts Aeroplane. NEW YORK, July 23.-Rear Admiral W. T. Swinburne, U. S. N., retired, who returned from a trip abroad today, is not one of those who believe in the

present possibilities of the aeroplane as an instrument of war. "The aeroplane," he said tonight. 'must attain a development advanced 5,000 times beyond anything it has demonstrated yet, before it can figure

against navies. "A navy can destroy another navy or attack harbor fortifications from a distance of twenty or thirty miles-too far out at sea for an aeroplane to venture. "Again, the aeroplane, if it wishes to drop bombs on a warship, must rise too high to be sure of accuracy, for otherwise it can easily be crippled by marksmen aboard ship. At a height where the aviator would be safe intervening air great quantity of wreckage thrown across currents must deflect explosives he might

WHITE ASKED TO RESIGN

Action in Case of Representative Who Admitted He Took Bribe.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., July 21.-Democrats of St. Clair county in convention here today adopted a resolution demanding that Representative Charles A. Whte. who admitted taking a bribe for his vote PARIS, July 23.-The French govern- for United States Senator Lorimer, rement has accepted a bronze copy of Hou- sign. Three votes were cast against the resolution

Bruce A. Campbell of East St. Louis adjusted the strike at the company's bassador to the United States. The statue was indorsed to make the race for Conby W. A. Rodenberg.